IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.RAMKUMAR

FRIDAY, THE 9TH FEBRUARY 2007 / 20TH MAGHA 1928

Bail Appl..No. 774 of 2007()

AGAINST THE CRIME NO.9/2007 OF IRRIKKUR POLICE STATION, KANNUR DIST.

PETITIONER/1ST ACCUSED

MUHAMMED MUNEER V.V., S/O. ASHRAF,
AGED 23 YEARS, VAYALAMVALAPPIL HOUSE,
BLATHUR, KANNUR DISTRICT.

BY ADV. SRI.C.K.SREEJITH

RESPONDENTS: RESPONDENT

S.H.O. IRIKKUR POLICE STATION,
REP. BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.P.N.SUKUMARAN

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 09/02/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

V. RAMKUMAR, J.

B.A. No. 774 OF 2007 B

Dated this the 9th day of February, 2007

O R D E R

In this Petition filed under Sec. 438 Cr.P.C. the petitioner, who is the accused in Crime No.9/2007 of Irrikur Police Station for offences punishable under Section 292 I.P.C. and Section 52A read with section 68A of the Indian Copyright Act, 1957, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 6.1.2007 four pirated CDs were seized by the police party from the shop of the petitioner.

3. Eventhough the learned Public Prosecutor opposed the application in as much as this court has granted bail in similar matters, I see no reason why the petitioner should be treated differently.

4. Accordingly, a direction is issued to the officer-in-charge of the police station concerned to release the petitioner on bail for a period of one month in the event of his arrest in connection with the above case on his executing a bond for Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) with two solvent sureties each for the like amount to the satisfaction to the said officer and subject to the following conditions:

a. Petitioner shall report before the Investigating Officer between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. on all Wednesdays.

b. The petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation as and when required by the Investigating Officer.

c. The petitioner shall not influence or intimidate the prosecution witnesses nor shall he attempt to tamper with the evidence for the prosecution.

d. Petitioner shall not commit any offence while on bail.

e. Petitioner shall surrender before the Magistrate concerned and seek regular bail in the meanwhile.

If the petitioner commits breach of any of the above conditions, the bail granted to him shall be liable to be cancelled.

This application is allowed as above.

(V. RAMKUMAR, JUDGE)

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